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REMARKS

Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following remarks.

Status of Claims

Claims 1-40 were previously canceled, and claims 41-58 are pending in this application. Claims 41 and 53 have been amended, and claims 42-46, 54 and 57 have been cancelled. Claims 59-67 have been added to clarify an embodiment of the invention.

No new matter has been added.

Amendment to the Specification

The specification has been amended to correct a typographic error. No new matter has been added.

35 U.S.C. § 102 Rejection

The Examiner rejected Claims 41-45, 47-54, 56, 57 and 58 under 35 U.S.C. § 102(b) as being anticipated by Iddan et al. (5,604,531, "Iddan"). Applicants traverse this rejection.

Independent claim 41, as amended, includes, *inter alia*, "a recorder, wherein the recorder is separated from the receiver and wherein the receiver and the recorder are separately modifiable." The specification of Iddan does not teach a recorder separated from a receiver, where the recorder and receiver are separately modifiable.

New independent claim 63 includes, *inter alia*:

detecting the presence of at least one antenna connected to a receiver;
 identifying the type of the at least one connected antenna; and
 automatically adjusting operation of a receiver according to the identified type of antenna.

New independent claim 66 includes, *inter alia*:

detecting the presence of a receiver connected to a recorder;

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identifying the type of the receiver; and
automatically adjusting operation of the recorder according to the
type of receiver identified.

The specification of Iddan does not teach detecting the presence of a receiver connected to a recorder or of an antenna connected to a receiver, identifying the type of the connected device, and adjusting the operation of the receiver or recorder according to the identified type of device.

For a reference to anticipate a claim, the reference must teach all the elements of the claim. Since Iddan does not teach all elements of independent claims 41, 63 and 66, Iddan does not anticipate these claims. Each of claims 47-53, 56, 58-62, 64, 65, and 67 depends from one of independent claims 41, 63, and 66, includes all the limitation of one of these claims, and is therefore likewise allowable.

Claims 42-46 and 54 and 57 have been cancelled.

Therefore, applicants request that the Examiner withdraw the rejection of claims 41-45, 47-54, 56, 57 and 58 under 35 U.S.C. § 102(b) as being anticipated by Iddan.

35 U.S.C. § 103 Rejection

The Examiner rejected claims 46, 55 and 56 under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being obvious over Iddan in light of Kimchy et al. (2003/0139661, "Kimchy"). Applicants traverse this rejection.

As discussed above, new independent claim 63 is allowable over Iddan. Kimchy does not cure the deficiencies of Iddan. Each of claims 55 and 56 depends, indirectly from independent claim 63, includes all the limitation of one of this claim, and is therefore likewise allowable. Claim 46 has been cancelled.

Applicants request that the Examiner withdraw the rejection of claims 46, 55 and 56 under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being obvious over Iddan in light of Kimchy.

New Claims

Applicants have added new claims 59-67.

As discussed above, each of claims 59-67 is allowable over both Iddan and

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Kimchy, alone or in combination.

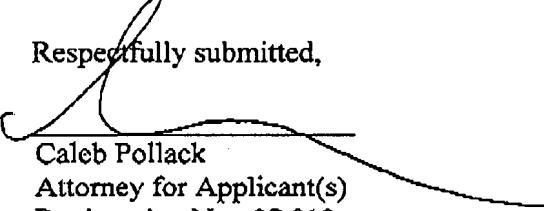
CONCLUSION

In view of the foregoing amendments and remarks, Applicant submits that the pending claims distinguish over the prior art of record and are in condition for allowance. Favorable consideration and passage to issue are therefore respectfully requested.

The Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned counsel to discuss any further issues yet to be resolved in connection with this application.

No fees are believed to be due in connection with this paper. However if any such fees are due, please charge any fees associated with this paper to deposit account No. 50-3355.

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